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**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

Sir:

In response to the office action mailed August 23, 2006 and telephone interview on October 17, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.